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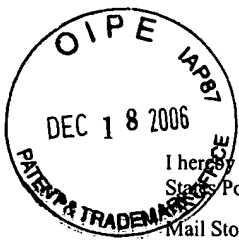
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In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/895,795

Filed: June 29, 2001

For: SETTLEMENT SYSTEM WITH IC
CARD, IC CARD, METHOD OF
SETTLEMENT

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 5584

Examiner: Martin A. Gottschalk

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In response to the Office Action mailed November 15, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.